

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
Junichi HAYASHI	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2135
Application No.: 10/789,986	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 9666
Filed: March 2, 2004	)	
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For: IMAGE DATA ENCRYPTION	)	
METHOD, IMAGE DATA	:	
TRANSFORM METHOD,	)	
APPARATUS FOR THE	:	
METHODS, COMPUTER	)	
PROGRAM, AND COMPUTER-	:	
READABLE STORAGE MEDIUM	)	June 28, 2007

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed June 7, 2007, Applicant provisionally elects to prosecute Group I (corresponding to Claims 1-14, 20, 23 and 26).

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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